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FOR FARMERS.

A Valuable Forage Plant that Might be Grown to Advantage in Nevada.

The following extract from a lecture of W. A. Sanders of Fresno on "What We Should Raise," gives information about what might prove a valuable forage plant for dry portions of our State: "When we seek plants of economic value to introduce into our own State, our search will most likely be rewarded with success if we seek them in the oldest settled, most densely populated regions of the earth, that have soil and climate similar to those of California. Interior and Western Asia are dry regions of intense summer heat. From these we have obtained our Datura, Sorghum—but there is another plant improperly called a sorghum, the Sorghum Heleense, the word Heleense being the Arabic name of the ancient city of Aleppo, famed as being located in one of the driest portions of the habitable earth. It is situated among the low, rocky hills or mountains between the heads of the rivers Jordan and Euphrates. Around this ancient city, extending in all directions where heat and drought hold sway over the country, grows this valuable evergreen, ever-growing bunch grass. Its roots are sometimes an inch or more in diameter, and run down into the earth to depth of more than twenty feet. No mere soil-forming or fibrous-rooted grass would live there for more than a single season; the deep, baking heat of the summer sun would destroy its roots, and the close grazing of the domestic herds would annihilate tops and seeds, and it would give place to noisome weeds on whose tops and seeds no animals could feed, exempting them from destruction. But not so easily destroyed is the S. H. lepense. Its tops, to be sure, are closely eaten off, and goats and hogs dig deep into the earth to get at and devour its juicy, nutritious roots; but this only develops a new and more luxuriant growth. Every half inch length of roots left in contact with the soil produces a new bunch of grass."

Three years and a half ago I obtained thirteen seeds of this grass and sowed them on my dry-land ranch in Fresno county. Now I have nearly a quarter of an acre of grass nearly as high as my head, and masses of roots down in the ground, that a friend of mine who stood by while I dug a bunch of it, expressed himself, 'Why, there are more roots than earth under that grass.'

It is readily propagated from both roots and seeds. Cut the roots into inch pieces and drop them into furrows and plow them in, or plant them like potatoes, and your ground is set with a crop that here in the drylands can never be eradicated. No land is too poor or too dry for it to grow upon. Stock eat it with avidity. As its roots are four times as large as alfalfa roots of the same age, so it will stand and keep green through drought that would entirely kill alfalfa. Stock never bloat from eating it, as they do from eating clover and some of the other grasses. The seeds are only about one-fourth as heavy as alfalfa, so a pound of it will go at least as far as four pounds of alfalfa; but it will do even more than this, for from the spreading habit of both tops and roots, four pounds of seed are sufficient to sow an acre. But a more valuable way of using it is to plant root-cuttings anywhere on pasture lands, anywhere where it is desirable to produce a never-ending additional amount of good feed for all kinds of stock."



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COMPREHENSIVE PLANS.

Judge Goodwin has a very interesting editorial in the Salt Lake Tribune on Jay Gould's plan to make New York the commercial capital of the world:

"He proposes to not only cover the United States with a net work of wires, but to stretch cables under the seas to every important port of the earth. This is an assault upon British commerce and British prestige which has never before been planned, and is in advance which America has never before made."

We have an idea that the first tremendous and decisive efforts to restore America's prestige on the ocean will come from Gould. Could he have made the combination he desired between the Union and Central road, we should probably have seen, by this time next year, a line of Gould ships running from San Francisco and Puget sound off across the Pacific, and other lines from New York to the main ports of Europe. He was baffled in his scheme, sold out his Union Pacific stock, and is going ahead to make his connections south.

We think he has it in his mind to girdle the world with his own iron tracks, his own steel ships and his own cables, until in his office in New York he can dictate commerce to the ends of the earth. There are Kings by divine right, and by that right surely Jay Gould is business King."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A writer in Harper's Monthly for March gives "a talk on dress," which will interest feminine readers. The article is mainly devoted to the choice of colors, etc., but it halts in one place to declaim against tight lacing and small waists. Here is an extract. "We would like to convince every woman in the land that a small waist is unbeautiful. Look at the Greek statues. We have no more perfect standard for beauty. Imagine what they would be had they worn a tight corset. Why, we should turn away our eyes, shocked at the painful angular lines that would replace the graceful majesty of those flowing curves."

We are pleased to notice that Judge Flack has resumed his duties at Elko.

The Virginia Chronicle denies the report that a strike had been made in Utah.

ROUND ABOUT.

The miners of Lewis district, Humboldt county, Nev., have organized a Union.

The vaqueros of Humboldt county, Nev., are forming a Mutual Aid Society.

The Alta shaft is 180 feet below the 1550 level. The usual progress of four feet a day is being made.

A \$400 dress was worn at the Carson An Fair party last night, if the April's prediction was fulfilled.

Alturas was flooded to a depth of several feet by the overflow of Pit river about the first of the month.

The railroad company have reduced freight on grain from Big Mounds to Winnemucca, and no grain is taken by teams.

Katz & Henry's flume at Vardi has been repaired, and lumber is now running through it at the rate of 50,000 feet a day.

A steamboat is soon to be placed on the waters of Goose lake. The Lakeview Herald says that Messrs. Harris & Wheeler will soon commence the work of construction.

James Malone, the man who was found dead last Tuesday in his diggings at Montezuma Hill, Nevada county, was the victim of a foul murder. On examination of the body it was found that it bore several buckshot wounds, fired from a shotgun, and also a deep cut that appeared to have been inflicted by a mining pick. The head contained two deep cuts. There is no clue to the murderer.

Greenville Items.

From the Bulletin of the 9th. The water of Indian creek is so high that there is no crossing at Arling bridge.

Six teams arrived here on Saturday with freight, having come over the Chico road.

No stage or teams went to, or arrived from Quincy Sunday or Monday, as it was reported that the waters of Spanish Creek were so high that some of the small bridges were swept away, and the road was impassable.

Increase of Crime Under the Maine Liquor Law.

A statement liable to attract wide attention is made by the Portland Press in an article opposing a movement to give additional stringency to the Maine prohibitory liquor law. It says that during the twenty years that the law has been in operation there has been an alarming increase in crimes of a kind usually attributed to drunkenness, and that at this time there are more drinking saloons in Portland than ever before. On the authority of Neal Dow the number is given as 130.

Cairson Sentiment.

From the Cairson Tribune. If we cannot get the asylum at Carson, let it be built at Reno.

The center of Paradise valley is a vast lake, and communication between the east and west sides of the valley is wholly suspended.

Which Shall it Be.
This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup, and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is also a parallel to its effects. Since its discovery it has had sold on the market only Hop Bitter to make the new well and smiling. Young man, remember this.—E.D.

Which Shall it Be.
The School Trustees of District No. 10 have only sufficient money to run the schools until March 1. The reasons are, 1st. They have been forced to employ three more teachers than ever before. 2nd. It takes more fuel to heat the new school house. 3d. The janitor's fees are larger. They want to know whether they shall levy a tax or close the schools. An election will be held on February 23 to vote on the proposition.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Reno School District No. 10 that there will be an election held, Wednesday February 21, 1881, at the old school house, between the hours of 12 m. and 4 P.M. Said election is called to submit to the qualified voters of said District the question whether a tax shall be raised for the purpose of continuing the schools of said District for the term of four months longer, there being no more money in the fund belonging to said District than will run the schools during the month of Feb. 21.

The amount proposed to be raised is \$3,000, including the expenses of an election etc.

By order of the Board of Trustees of said Dist. No. 10. J. L. McFARLIN.
D. D. BOWMAN.

Reno, Jan. 26, 1881.

Fees of Doctors.

The fee of doctor is an item that very many persons are interested in at present. We believe the schedule for visits is as follows: A man classified his bill for a year and in case of a day visit, \$1.00 for physician and medical attendance, \$1.00 and one single bill of his patients taken in time we will save the \$1.00 and all the year's sick ness.—E.D.

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V. & T. TRAINS.

V. & T. Trains arrive and depart from Reno as follows:

The "Virginia Express" leaves Reno every morning at 8:30 A.M., arriving in Carson at 12:30 P.M. and in Virginia at 11:00 P.M. The "Local Passenger," No. 4, leaves Carson at 8:30 every morning, arriving in Reno at 10:30 A.M., in Virginia at 1 P.M., in Carson at 1:30 P.M., and in Virginia at 4 P.M., and in Virginia at 5:30 P.M.

ARRIVALS.

Returning, the "Virginia Express" leaves Virginia at 5:30 P.M., arriving in Carson at 6:30 P.M. and in Reno at 8:30 P.M. "Local Passenger," No. 4, leaves Virginia at 8:30 A.M., arriving in Carson at 9:30 A.M., in Reno at 10:30 A.M., and in Virginia at 11:00 A.M., leaving Carson at 4 P.M., and in Virginia at 5:30 P.M., arriving in Carson at 8:30, and in Reno at 6:30.

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JOTTINGS.

A lady's shawl pin. Apply to Wm. Henry.

Little Flora Walsh had a benefit in Carson last night.

E. A. Allen, of Carson, and his wife, born Ringo, are in town to-day.

The cistern made for fire purposes opposite the Palace is undergoing repairs.

Tony Astredo's pocketbook has been picked up and can be had at this office.

There will be dancing after the Reform Club entertainment this evening, probably for the last time this season.

"Drunk and disorderly" is the charge against a nameless individual in the calaboose, who is to be tried this evening.

The report that Ed. Vesey contemplates giving up the Lake House is contradicted. Mr. Vesey is in San Francisco at present.

Miss Sill and Miss Chester have a performance in preparation which is new to the coast. No one will be let into the secret until the evening of March 2nd, when it will be put upon the stage as part of the Episcopal church entertainment.

Last evening a stone came crashing through the southwest window of Reform Club hall, while twenty persons were reading there. No one was hurt. It is not known who threw the stone, nor whether it was intended to be thrown into the hall or not.

M. Nathan has been in San Francisco all the week buying new goods. Some of them have already arrived. He keeps a good class of clothing, etc., and sells at moderate prices, dealing fairly by his customers. His trade is constantly increasing.

THE KNIGHTS' EXCURSION.

A fine Reception at San Francisco—The Procession, etc.

The excursion party of Knights and their friends have been enjoying fine weather at the Bay. Since their arrival at San Francisco they have been seeing the elephant, attending balls, and having a good time generally.

Upon their arrival at Oakland they were accompanied across the bay by large delegations of Knights from Oakland and Alameda. The Oakland delegation took with them the Oakland City Band, while the Fourth Artillery Band furnished the music for the local lodges.

When the boat having the excursions on board arrived at the wharf the bands played stirring airs and the two delegations opened ranks and presented swords while the Nevada Knights marched through their lines and saluted in turn. The line of march was then formed, the Knights marching through the principal streets, the ladies of the party, in carriages, bringing up the rear. The procession counter marched on Market street, and thence proceeded to the court-yard of the Palace Hotel, where they listened to music by the Fourth Artillery Band, and an address of welcome.

District Court Notes.
Mrs. Hickman vs. J. N. Jaquish—Demurrer sustained.

Tolles vs. Thompson—Demurrer to amended answer sustained. Plaintiff allowed five days to answer.

Thompson vs. Reno Savings Bank—Motion to require Sheriff to sell asset under attachment, continued till next Wednesday.

Lake vs. Reno Savings Bank—Boeing argued.

CARP CULTURE.

A Good Fish that Every Farmer Can Grow for His Own Table.

That the people of this State may more fully understand the nature of the carp and its culture in our rivers, lakes and ponds, I have seen fit to copy from the United States Fish Commissioner's report of 1875 76, on the propagation of food fishes in the United States, the following:

"The carp was, in all probability, originally introduced into Europe from Central Asia many centuries ago, and is now common in most of the large rivers. In some parts of Europe, principally in Bohemia, Austria, Southern, Central and Northern Germany, it has become domesticated. It is alleged to have been imported into England in the year 1504.

The carp is partial to stagnant waters, or such as have not too swift a current, with a loamy, muddy bottom, and deep places covered with vegetation. It inhabits now most of the larger and smaller rivers of Europe, particularly the Elbe, Weiser, Rhine, Danube, Po, Rhone, Garonne, Loire, then the Bavarian and Swiss lakes, the lake of Constance, etc.; even salt water agrees with it very well. I have taken it in the Black Sea, where its weight often amounts to from fifteen to twenty pounds. It is also found in the Caspian Sea in great numbers, and is known there by the name of sashon.

It is an advantage that the carp is able to live in water where other fishes could not possibly exist; for instance, in the pools of bog, meadows, or sloughs. However, it is not by any means to be inferred from this that the best locality for carp ponds of a superior kind could be in such situations. The presence of too much humic acid is unfavorable to the well being of the carp. The carp lives upon vegetable food, as well as upon worms and larvae of aquatic insects, which it turns up from the mud with the head. It is very easily satisfied and will not refuse the offal of the kitchen, slaughter houses or breweries, or even the excrement of cattle and pigs.

In the moderate zone, that is to say in Central Europe, the carp will, at the beginning of the cold season, seek deeper water to pass that period in a kind of sleep. This will sometimes occur as early as the beginning of November, if the winter should set in early; and it is to be remarked that they will retire at an earlier period in ponds than in rivers. They do so always in groups of from 50 to 100.

They make a cavity in the muddy ground, called a 'kettle.' In this they pass the time until spring, huddled together in concentric circles, with their heads together, the posterior part of the body raised and held immovably, scarcely lifting the gills for the process of breathing, and without taking a particle of food. They do not take any food from the beginning of October, and continue to abstain from it, in some countries, until the end of March, and in colder districts somewhat longer. The carp does not grow in winter. Warmth alone seems to exercise a favorable influence upon it and to promote its growth. It only grows in the months of May, June, July and August, and does not continue to do so in September. The abundance of eggs in the carp is very great, and it is this circumstance which will explain its extraordinary increase in the natural waters. A fish, weighing from four to five pounds, contains, on an average, 400,000 to 500,000 eggs. The carp does not attack other fishes, and has no teeth in its mouth, but only in its throat, and is, on account of its harmlessness, an excellent fish for the culture, as well as for stocking large lakes and rivers in general.

Ponds must not be too deep, as the water will be colder and will harbor fewer insects, larvae and worms, which form part of the carp's food; besides, this fish does not grow quickly in cold water. A depth of three feet in the centre of the pond is sufficient; toward the outlet-sluice it may be from six to eight feet deep, but only for an area of from 200 to 500 square feet. In the depths of this 'coincidence' the fish seek their resting place for winter, and also in the summer when the water is too warm near the edge. The outer part of the pond should not be deeper than one foot for the distance of about fifty or seventy-five feet, so that the water there may be warmed more thoroughly by the sun.

The fundamental rule in carp culture is that the water be of the same depth in summer and winter. Pernicious gases develop themselves from the mud even in winter, but they

rarely have any bad effects, being injurious only if the water is covered by ice, when the fish die from suffocation. For this reason large apertures are cut in the ice for the supply of fresh air.

From 800 to 1,000 breeding fish may be calculated to an American acre, 800 being the average. The carp likes, above everything else, vegetable matter, such as cabbage, lettuce, boiled potatoes, corn, turnips, pumpkins, melons, etc. The small pisciculturist, having a pond of perhaps one-half acre near his house, will often be able to feed his fish on refuse, as he will always have it fresh from the kitchen and stable.

In conclusion, I earnestly recommend the culture of the carp to all pisciculturists. If the value of carp for table use has once been recognized it will become a highly esteemed fish, especially in the neighborhood of large and populous cities, and its culture will yield a larger and more certain profit than the expensive trout."

H. G. PARKER,
Fish Commissioner.

Brown's School Report.

The following is the report of the Brown's school for the month ending Jan. 14; Number enrolled, 23; average daily attendance, 22; number absent about one tardy, 10. Roll of Honor—Maggie Wright, 94; Dora Clow, 100; Sadie Wright, 95; Carrie Dawes, 100; Laura Brown, 100; Mary Clow, 100; Millie Wright, 95; Lucy Barney, 95; Fannie Wright, 94; Grace Clow, 100; Julia Clow, 99; Dick Clow, 100; Charlie Brown, 100; George Barney, 91; Willie Wright, 95; Charlie Gilchrist, 99; Willie Barney, 92; Charlie Gilchrist has not been absent since Aug. 30. Dora Clow, Julia Clow, Mary Clow, Grace Clow, Laura Brown, Lucy Barney and Georgie Barney have been absent one day.

GENIE PAYNE, Teacher.

Affairs at Pyramid.

J. H. Kinkead came in from Pyramid to-day. He reports grand progress at the mine. The 3 foot vein of rich ore on the 300 level has widened out to 9 feet. It is fine yellow ore and will average \$40 at the mill. He says it is the largest and best body of ore ever found in the mine and gives great satisfaction to the company. They are raising 15 tons of ore a day and packing it to the mill. The roads are too bad to haul it. There never was such a rain-storm as the one of this and last week. There is no trouble from water in the mine. It stands 40 feet above the 400 level. The mill was started up at 7 o'clock last Saturday and it has run all week very nicely. They are working the black ore by roasting and mixing one part of it with nine parts of red ore. The ore is roasted out of doors; a layer of cordwood forms the first stratum, then six inches of ore, on top of which is spread one inch of charcoal, then follow in alternate layers six inches of ore and two inches of coal until the heap is five feet high. It can be made as long as is required. The wood is set on fire and it ignites the charcoal and the sulphur in the ore, and the fire does not go out until it is all consumed, which is in about twelve days. It is then put into large tanks and covered with water. The copper is dissolved and the liquor is drawn off into another tank where the copper is precipitated on old iron into cement copper, 92 per cent pure, which is used in the batteries in place of blue vitriol. The residuum is free milling and goes to the pans. The whole operation will not cost over \$3 a ton. Mr. Kinkead says the black ore itself is a bonanza.

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A Singular Accident.

Frank Comstock is sorrow-stricken to-day. His pony was tied in front of the house yesterday afternoon, and taking fright at a train of cars, attempted to leap the fence, but failed to clear it. The pickets pierced the pony's abdomen, and there it hung on the fence. When lifted off the fence the animal was believed to be fatally injured, and was soon afterwards shot.

Mining Stocks.

The following are lowest Board quotations of this morning's sales: Ophir 4.80, Mexican 5.14, Best & Belcher 7.14, Savage 2.15, Hale & Norcross 4.35, Point 1.65, Jacket 3.10, Sierra Nevada 6.50, Utah 8, Union 7.50, Alts 1.40.

Church Notices.

Congregational church—G. F. G. Morgan pastor. Services to-morrow morning and evening. Sunday school directly after morning service.

Services as usual in Trinity church to-morrow, Rev. W. R. Jenvey officiating.

CARSON LETTER.

Important Proceedings in the Legislature During the Week—Relief for Franktown—The Asylum Bill Still in Doubt.

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THE WILLIAMS MEMORIAL was brought up for final passage in the Senate on Wednesday, and after several attempts to strike out the preamble it was passed. It also passed the Assembly yesterday by a vote of 30 to 3. It asks our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use all honorable means to secure the passage of the Regan bill.

MC CONNELL'S RAILROAD BILL came up the same day on its final passage. It provides that the charges for carrying passengers shall be four cents per mile. Several amendments were offered, making the rate per mile 2½, 5 and 6 cents respectively, but were voted down. Westerfield, Haines, Powning, King and others opposed the bill with speeches, claiming that if the bill passed it would result in a great injury to the people of the State; that it was better to live on friendly terms with the railroad companies at the present dull times. The bill was lost. It is believed that if the bill had passed it would have been unconstitutional.

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MISS FLORA WALSH COMPANY.

Dr. Pritchard has found Sierra Valley so discouragingly healthy of late that he has come into town for a change. He says the farmers in the valley have fine prospects for the coming season. The meadow land is overflowed, insuring an abundant hay crop. There has been no frost in the ground this month. Plowing is the order of the day. It is thought the valley will be measurably free from the plague of grasshoppers next summer. The Dr. has seen no eggs in the ground, and has heard of none. The winter has been remarkably wet, 5½ inches of rain having fallen already this month, and 5½ in January. The weather keeps very mild, and there is no snow in the valleys.

THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

A Reply to Lex, From a Man Who Goes in Strongly for Division.

ED. GAZETTE.—In your issue of

yesterday one who is careful to inform the public that he is "an old resident," and consequently knows what he is talking about, announces his ultimatum in an "opinion which is an opinion," to the effect that there is no necessity for a division of the Second Judicial District. It is not the conclusion of "Lex" against the talked of division which arrests my attention, however, but the remarkable reasons which are advanced to support his conclusion.

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When did any one ever hear that questions pertaining to water rights and lands could be finally litigated and determined? The truth is, the water right litigation of this county is not yet commenced. With the constantly increasing number of ditches and the multiplying and varied interests of their projectors, the future is full of litigation. But it is not true that these are or ever were the principal causes of litigation. On the calendar for the January term of this year were eighty-five cases, not one of which had any connection with water rights. Of these, three only were criminal cases. Possibly Judge King may clear the calendar this term, but if he does, it will be the first time in a number of years that this has been done.

If "Lex" will take the trouble to

investigate the workings of the District system, he will, I am sure, be very thoroughly impressed

Good Hunters.

From the Fort Collins Express.

Luke Wheeler, partner of Frank Ainsworth, the champion shot of Colorado, was at Fort Collins on Friday, having just come down from North Park with a load of game. The two hunters during the season brought to market 14 large loads of antelope, elk and deer. They killed 500 antelope and 250 elk. Elk sold from 7 to 10 cents per pound, antelope from 10 to 12½ cents, and deer from 10 to 12½ cents. The season was a very profitable one. They made two shipments of hides, the last one being 3,000 pounds. Game was fat and in good condition. There was a herd of 500 elk within 600 yards of camp when Mr. Wheeler left. The hunters, at one stand, killed 18 elk within 10 minutes. Wheeler considers Ainsworth the most experienced hunter and the best shot he ever saw. He began hunting when a boy, and hunted buffalo in Kansas. He recently shot with Gove of Denver, and with a crack shot in Montana, and was a winner on both occasions. He uses a thirty-five caliber Maynard rifle and sixty grains of powder, and is good for anything within 400 yards. Wheeler has seen him kill a coyote wolf at 750 yards.

A rumrunner in Lewiston, Me., having challenged several jurors, was informed by the Bench that he must give good and sufficient reasons for so doing. "May it please your Honor, Mr. Judge," said the accused with mock gravity, "I would a good deal rather be tried by a man that doesn't know me, than by a man that does." The dignity of the whole court room gave way at the richness of this bull, and it was several minutes before the Judge himself regained his composure. The prisoner then pleaded guilty without a trial.

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LEGAL.**Summons.**

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE

Second Judicial District of Nevada,

in and for the County of Washoe.

The state of Nevada sends to Mary Jane Hall, Greeting: You are hereby required to appear before the Honorable George C. Hall, as plaintiff, in the district court of the Second Judicial District, and for the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, and answer to the complaint thereto within ten days after service on you of this summons, (or, in case of the day of service, as served in said county, or twenty days if served out said district, but within said district, and in all other cases forty days, or judgment by default will be taken against the defendant and in favor of the plaintiff). The complaint alleges that the plaintiff and defendant married at Boston, in the State of New Hampshire, on the 13th of August, 1854, and that the plaintiff has resided in the State of Nevada ever since, and the defendant has resided in the State of Massachusetts, deserting and refusing to cohabit with plaintiff, all of which will be fully set forth in the complaint, which they will spare no effort to gratify.

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